PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

In re the application of: Attorney Docket No.: 29805.132.3

Klaus Rutz et al.

Application No.: 10/554,298 Examiner: Philip Earl Stimpert

Filed: November 18, 2005 Group Art Unit: 3746

For: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING A PUMP MEANS

AMENDMENT and RESPONSE

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir

In response to the Office Action mailed July 2, 2009, please amend the aboveidentified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper. Changes are shown with deletions being designated by strike-through or double-brackets and insertion of new language being underlined.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.